



Post-Baccalaureate Certificate

# PK-12 Online Learning Certificate

• CIP code 130101 • 6 credits, 1-2 terms • 

## Program Description

The PK-12 Online Learning Certificate is a six-credit distance-learning certificate designed to offer classroom teachers, school counselors, school administrators, and other educators the tools needed to be successful in working with students in an online or distance education environment. The Certificate consists of two three-credit classes. Each course offers specific strategies to help educators meet the needs of their students in distance education scenarios.

The program and coursework are all online.

## Learning Outcomes

1. Develop learning experiences to account for the backgrounds, abilities, and levels of students' knowledge
2. Use alternative teaching methods to engage students and deliver educational content effectively online
3. Develop a wide range of instructional practices, approaches, methods and curricula materials to support learning by students with or without disabilities
4. Implement active learning techniques and effective universal design theories and practices to promote student learning and engagement
5. Create comprehensive lesson plans specific to your grade level context
6. Create and implement appropriate assessments to evaluate student learning and inform instructional decision-making.
7. Evaluate technologies to determine which will be most effective to communicate with students, parents, colleagues and other stakeholders.

## Careers

The educator can live anywhere as the program will be offered online. The program will not add any type of certification to a teaching license, but it will help educators be better prepared to work with students in an online setting. Educators will learn about communication, the use of apps, Universal Design, Flipped Learning, using websites, using various technologies and working with students with disabilities in the online setting.

## Courses ..... 6 credits

- EOL 500 Online Learning in the PK-12 Classroom
- EOL 501 Serving Students with Disabilities in the Online Classroom

### Admission requirements:

- School admission requirements for education certificate programs.
- The program is a graduate level certificate for teachers/educators.

### Program subject to change.

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All courses 3 credits except as noted.